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7175-73857

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Title

PEDAL ARRANGEMENT FOR
STRETCHER APPARATUS

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APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

1. Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17)
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2. Applicant claims small entity status.
See 37 CFR 1.27.
3. Specification [Total Pages 36]
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 - Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix
 - Background of the Invention
 - Brief Summary of the Invention
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 - Detailed Description
 - Claim(s)
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4. Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [Total Sheets 9]
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Prior application information: Examiner Michael TrettelGroup / Art Unit: 3673

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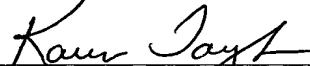
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